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Oct. 4.....2,910	Oct. 20.....2,898
Oct. 5.....2,925	Oct. 21.....2,895
Oct. 6.....2,942	Oct. 22.....2,881
Oct. 7.....2,943	Oct. 23.....2,871
Oct. 8.....2,929	Oct. 24.....2,866
Oct. 9.....2,912	Oct. 25.....2,857
Oct. 10.....2,916	Oct. 26.....2,859
Oct. 11.....2,915	Oct. 27.....2,865
Oct. 12.....3,016	Oct. 28.....2,868
Oct. 13.....2,905	Oct. 29.....2,857
Oct. 14.....2,905	Oct. 30.....2,857
Oct. 15.....2,905	Oct. 31.....2,857

Total.....75,420

Average for the month.....2,900

Personally appeared before me this day E. J. Paxton, general manager of The Sun, who affirms that the above statement of the circulation of The Sun for the month of Oct., 1904, is true to the best of his knowledge and belief.

PETER PURYEAR,

Notary Public.

My commission expires Jan. 22, 1905.  
Nov. 2, 1904.

## DAILY THOUGHT.

"The great demand of today is for the strong, vigorous, positive man, the man who can not only decide upon a course, but can also execute it to a finish."

## THE WEATHER.

Fair and colder tonight. Wednesday fair.

## SLOWLY BUT SURELY.

Whatever the result of today's election in Paducah and the First congressional district, the republicans can congratulate themselves on having made a good fight. The vote in the district and in Paducah is constantly increasing—slowly but surely. One of these days the district will swing into the republican column and stay there. In Paducah alone the republicans have gained 800 votes in the registration in two years. In the past two presidential elections the city went republican for the national ticket. This year it may not, because the sound money democrats and democratic business men had in Judge Parker and his sound money declarations a candidate they could vote for, while Mr. Bryan in previous elections was regarded as a menace to the business interests of the country, and they wouldn't vote for him. The reorganizers seem to have crammed Judge Parker down the throats of the Bryan element, who compose the faction of the democratic party that believes in being "regular," and voting the ticket no matter what it is or what it stands for. Hence the democrats can come nearer polling a full vote in Paducah this time than in the past eight years. It is only a matter of time, however, until the voters in Paducah and the First district forsake a back number like the democratic party, and cast their lot with a party of live issues, great men and big achievements.

The joint committees of the general council, according to present plans, are to get up new ordinances for the market house and to regulate city licenses. These genial amateur attorneys had better eschew the pleasant task, and leave it to someone who knows something about it. There has never been a market house ordinance in the history of the city, with but one or two exceptions, that was either intelligible or constitutional. What every city needs is an ordinance that will give the public every convenience and protection. What the councils have been in the habit of doing was getting up a pot pourri to please every Tom, Dick and Harry, and the inevitable result is that it pleases none and is a continual source

of trouble and contention. Some good lawyer ought to be able to get up an ordinance to embody what the city needs and what the courts will uphold. If the ordinance is one that has in view the welfare of the general public—the greatest number—the others ought to be able, and would have to be able, to put up with it.

When Judge Parker wrote that letter and had it published asking that nothing be incorporated in the democratic hand-book reflecting on the personal integrity of the president he probably wanted to reserve that stunt solely for himself.

The mayor is facetiously talking about employing a man to attend to the "kicks" that come in every day. The best way to attend to kicks is to do away with their cause.

It's all over but the shouting, and the democrats will do little shouting, we're afraid.

We'd like to see Tom Taggart's face when he sees the result in Indiana.

The democrats have made a big bluff, but their pair of deuces have been called.

My, My! Won't the democrats rave when they see the figures?

It wasn't much of a race, but it was a hot finish.

## BOYS DOUSED.

They Spoke Disrespectfully of the President.

Memphis, Tenn., Nov. 8.—For condemning President Roosevelt as a man and for denouncing him for his course toward the south with respect to the negro question, Bernard L. Cohn, of Memphis and Thomas Taggart, Jr., of Indianapolis, son of the democratic national chairman, were taken from their rooms in Betts academy at Stamford, Conn., stripped of their clothing, led to the wooden pump on the campus and freely doused with cold water. Both of them caught severe colds and Cohn, according to advices received by his father, a prominent merchant here, is still in bed as a result of the ordeal.

They were called upon to take the part of the democratic party in a debate. They handled the president without gloves and the punishment was decided upon at a caucus of a large part of the student body.

## VALIDITY UPHELD.

Supreme Court Passes On the Anti-Trust Law.

Washington, Nov. 8.—The supreme court of the United States affirmed the decision of the supreme court of the state of Wisconsin in the newspaper boycott case arising from the alleged business combination of the Sentinel, the News and the Evening Wisconsin, all published at Milwaukee, against the Journal, of that city, affecting advertising rates. The opinion was delivered by Justice Holmes and upheld the validity of the Wisconsin anti-trust law so far as it applied to this case.

## WITHOUT BAIL.

Charles Green, Who is Charged With Killing His Father, Pleads Self-Defense.

London, Ky., Nov. 8.—Charlie Green, who, it is charged, killed his father, Milt Green, last Wednesday near East Bernstadt, this county, today was held by County Judge Reams without bail. Young Green said his father came home drunk and abused him and his mother, as he was in the habit of doing, and that he could stand it no longer. He secured a large Springfield army rifle and shot the elder Green through the window

## Old Coughs

For coughs that "hang on" there is no better remedy than White Pine and Tar. No matter what "cough cure" you may have tried or are trying you have left a stone unturned if you have not tried White Pine and Tar for all kinds of coughs, colds, sore throat, hoarseness, bronchitis, etc.

J. H. OEHLSCHELAGER

Druggist

Sixth and Broadway  
PHONE 63

## QUIET ELECTION OVER THE CITY

More Voting Places Make Less Trouble.

Many Democrats Claim Little Interest Was Taken by Their Party.

## AVERAGE VOTE IS EXPECTED.

While many of the Democrats have been complaining of apathy on their side in the local election, the indications are that a fairly big vote will be polled in Paducah. In some of the precincts, at 11 o'clock this morning, fifty per cent. of the vote was cast, with the noon rush yet to come.

The apparent apathy, however, was due in many places to the division of voting places. Where on previous elections there was one voting place for certain localities there are now two or more, which prevents the usual rush and crowded condition of some of the polls, and leaves the impression of a lack of interest, or a small vote.

Some of the election officers are reported to have taken up registration certificates, but there was no excuse for this, either for any election officer doing it, or any voter allowing it done, considering the fact that the opinion of the attorney general of the state that voters should retain their registration certificates, has been extensively published in all the newspapers here and elsewhere.

The day has been very dull everywhere as a result of the election.

The saloons have all been closed and number of people have not been at work, laying off the entire day to vote.

A number of people even thought today was a national holiday, and were surprised to find the post office and banks open.

There has been very little business transacted, comparatively speaking, and the court house as well as other public buildings have been almost deserted.

It has been generally admitted that there was never a quieter election of any description held in Paducah.

County Judge R. T. Lightfoot was called to the Sexton precinct on West Broadway this morning to serve as an election clerk until some one could be worn in.

"When I arrived," Judge Lightfoot stated, "there were many voters waiting to be voted and although I served only 40 minutes, we voted 40 men. I think this is voting them rather fast, oo."

The party workers this afternoon report that from every indication the vote in Paducah will be heavy as over 75 per cent. of those registered had voted up until press time.

There were a number of buggies noticed but it is not known whether they are put out by party workers or simply accidentally preferred by those on route to the polls.

## VERY IMPOSING

WERE THE FUNERAL SERVICES OVER DEAD ARTIST.

Innsbruck, Nov. 8.—The body of the artist, Prezzy, who was stabbed through the heart with a bayonet during the rioting here the night of November, was buried yesterday afternoon in the Innsbruck cemetery in the presence of a great crowd and with an imposing ceremony. Perfect order was maintained. A strong force of gendarmes kept the route clear and large detachments of troops were held in reserve. The city council had decided that the funeral should be at the public expense, and black flags were hung on all public buildings. The coffin was followed to the cemetery by the members of the city council, and he rector of the university. The coffin was hidden under masses of wreaths. Burgomaster Greil and Deputy Schalk delivered orations at the grave.

After the funeral crowds promenaded the streets singing German patriotic songs, and 3,000 people assembled in Maria Teresa street, where Deputies Berger and Stein delivered inflammatory addresses. The police interposed and the two deputies fled to the station, where they took the train for Vienna to avoid arrest.

Dr. B. B. Breeden left yesterday for St. Louis to attend the fair.

## RUDY, PHILLIPS &amp; CO.

Place on sale Wednesday morning a new line of Flannelette. All new patterns and beauties Extra nice quality. A regular 15c value, but bought at a figure which enables us to sell at

10c  
the yard.

## FOOT SHOT OFF

Serious Accident to Boy at St. Johns.

His Gun Was Accidentally Discharged While Resting on His Foot.

Richard Englert, aged 15 years, of near St. John's, the son of Mrs. John Englert, a widow of that neighborhood, met with a serious accident early this morning while preparing to go hunting, and may lose his right foot.

The boy had oiled his gun and prepared for a day's hunt. He had his hand on the trigger of the weapon with the muzzle resting on the right foot. He was unaware that the gun was cocked, and his finger released the hammer and the load penetrated the foot, shooting off several toes, mangle the flesh and bone and making a horrible wound.

Dr. Q. L. Shelton, of Lone Oak, and Dr. R. D. Harper, of near St. John's, were summoned and had to amputate several toes. They can not tell yet if the foot will have to come off. It will in event of blood poisoning sets in, and they will try to avoid any complications.

## ATTORNEY MOSS

RETURNS FROM THE WEST AND SAYS HE WILL CLEAR EVERYTHING UP.

Attorney Jesse B. Moss, who left Paducah during the summer for the west to locate, has returned, having arrived in the city this morning from San Francisco, Cal. He says he came back as soon as he learned of the indictment for alleged failure to turn over funds collected from a client and would remain until the matter had been settled.

He stated that he was unaware that he had been indicted until his wife wrote him a letter on October 26th, which he received several days after in California and upon receipt of the letter started for home, arriving this morning. He said:

"I left Paducah for Woodville on a short vacation and then decided to go west and locate. I had several opportunities to secure positions in the west and thought I would go out and prospect. When I received this letter from my wife, I was on the point of starting for Nevada where I had a government position promised me. I intended remaining there for good, but came home to clear this matter up. It amounts to nothing."

The train due at 12:45 p. m. from Memphis was reported about two hours late today on account of bad connections out of Memphis.

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## FOR RECKLESS DRIVING.

Henry Gholson, colored, a Palmer Transfer Co. baggage wagon driver, was arrested this afternoon by Officer Gus Rogers on a warrant charging fast and reckless driving.

He is the negro who ran over Henry Kettler, a bicyclist several nights ago. Kettler attributes the accident to the fast and careless driving of Gholson.

## YOU DON'T HAVE TO WAIT.

Every dose makes you feel better. Tax-Fos keeps your whole insides right. Sold on the money-back plan everywhere. Price 50 cents.

Whenever you need anything that a drug store should carry come to us at once. We have it.

DUBOIS, KOLB & Co.  
BOTH PHONES 18

## We Want to Show You Some Shoe

Values . . .

Our years of experience at the bench taught us what a good shoe is and equipped us with expert judgment, as it were, of shoes. So, in selecting our lines, we know just about what our trade wants.

Hence, no matter what price shoe you desire we will give you the best value for your money.

Just now we want to show you our hosts of good lines and suggest a call before bad weather, near at hand, sets in.

## Lendler & Lydon.

## COURT NEWS

NO SESSIONS OF ANY OF THE COURTS TODAY—LITTLE DONE.

## FILES EX PARTE PETITION.

Attorney J. M. Werten has filed before Judge W. M. Reed an ex parte petition in the name of Sam Stone to test the validity of the ordinance to work city prisoners on the streets of Paducah. Judge Reed will take up the questions at once and his decision will be taken to the court of appeals for final decision.

This step of Attorney Werten was unexpected. Judge Reed did not pass on the right of the city to work prisoners on the streets when he sustained the city's demurrer to the suits brought by Attorney Werten for damages. He merely sustained the demurrer of the city which was that the city had a right to work prisoners on the street, but that even if it did not, it could not be made liable for it. Attorney Werten found when he had prepared everything for an appeal that the city was disposed to delay a decision in the court of appeals by refusing to expedite the appeal. Campbell & Campbell, who are to get \$1000 for defending the cases, refused to have drawn the necessary papers, saying that they didn't have time and that they were in no hurry to take a case further which they won in the lower court hence Attorney Werten found himself with no assurance that the court of appeals would get to consider the case for many months and he has filed ex parte petition for an opinion on the right of a city to work prisoners on the streets. The only right it is claimed, is by city ordinance which is no right at all as the charter does not provide for working prisoners on the streets and the city had no right to pass an ordinance contrary to the charter. By reason of the nature of the petition it must be taken up at once here and in the court of appeals when it gets there.

## TO SUE FOR TAXES.

Many suits are being drawn by Solicitor Ed Puryear against property owners who owe city taxes. Several months ago the question came up and the solicitor was instructed to sue and is now getting ready to do it.

## SUES FOR DIVORCE.

Lizzie Johnson has filed suit in circuit court against John Johnson for divorce \$500 alimony and the custody of their child. They were married in 1899 and she alleges abandonment.

## NO CORONER.

County Judge R. T. Lightfoot stated today that he wished the office of coroner was in Hades because he had been bothered nearly into fits by applicants.

"Really there are as many as 300 applicants for the office," he declared.

"and I don't know whom to appoint. The applicants telephone, write and approach me in many ways. I don't know when I will appoint, as there is no particular hurry, but will not fill the office this week, I think."

## CIRCUIT COURT.

Judge Reed held no circuit court today on account of the election, but a suit for divorce was filed.

Ida Lewis sues her husband Walter Lewis for \$500 maintenance for her support and her child's.

She alleges that he has failed to support her properly and has, she alleges, been spending his wages on another woman. He is railroad brakeman making \$75 per month and is said to have property, so she prays for an attachment against it to satisfy her judgment.

## DEEDS.

Property on east side of North Third, near Jefferson street, was sold to E. B. Harbour by Mrs. Laura Fowler for \$500.

O. T. Ross sold to G. H. Rudolph for \$175, property lying out in the county.

Property in the O'Bryan subdivision was sold by W. C. O'Bryan to G. T. Phillips for \$600.

E. B. Harbour bought from E. W. Smith, for \$789, property on the east side of North Third, between Broadway and Jefferson streets.

## BAD MEMORIES

HAD MANY BEFORE A KENTUCKY GRAND JURY.

Versailles, Ky., Nov. 8.—Circuit Court has adjourned until Wednesday to give everybody an opportunity to vote. The report of the grand jury is very voluminous and devotes much attention to the gambling evil in Versailles. The report says, in part:

"We have looked into the violations of the law against gaming, and we have had great difficulty in obtaining evidence. Many witnesses have suffered from an entire loss of memory, others have failed to attend and testify after being summoned, and still others, according to the returns of the sheriff, have been dodging him in his effort to execute subpoenas. We hand to your honor herewith a list of such witnesses as have been summoned and failed to attend and a list of those dodging, and we ask that you order warrants of arrest for all such, requiring of each bail for his appearance to testify before the next grand jury and that these warrants issue forthwith."

Capt. Harry G. Tandy, of Frankfort, Ky., is in the city today, coming down to vote.

Sleeth's Syrup White Pine Compound

WILL RELIEVE HOARSENESS SLEETH'S DRUG STORE